Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Three.

(*b*) (1) Construction of new tank across Parvathykolla near Bommasagara.

(2) Construction of a new tank at Kalakaleswara near Gajendragad.

(3) Kempageri tank near Lakkalkatti.

(*c*) (1) 230 Parvathykolla.
(2) 120 Kalakaleswara.
(3) 28 Kempageri.

(*d*) (1) Rs. 2,48,100 ... Parvathykolla.
(2) Rs. 2,25,000 ... Kalakaleswara.
(3) Rs. 27,300 ... Kempageri.

(*e*) Preliminary arrangements are being undertaken so as to take up the construction work of these tanks.

Defunct Societies under Mysore State Khadi and Village Industries Board

948. Sri G. P. NANJAYYANAMATH (Guledgud).—

Will the Minister for Industries be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of defunct societies under Mysore State Khadi and Village Industries Board ;

(*b*) the amount due by each such society to the Board and the Khadi Commission ;

(*c*) the action taken by the Government in regard to the recovery of the dues from these Societies ?

Sri S. M. KRISHNA (Minister for Industries).—

(*a*) 609 (as on 31st March 1972).

(*b*) the total amount due to the Mysore State Khadi and Village Industries Board is Rs. 69 lakhs.

(*c*) The Khadi Board has instituted recovery proceedings under Co-operative Societies Act. The Mysore State Khadi and Village Industries Act 1956 is being amended so that dues to the Board may be recovered as Land Revenue Arrears.